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2. Mr. Borden, Executive Director of the staff of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy, called to inquire when the CIA semi-annual report to the Committee, which was due on 1 January, would become available. After consultation with AD/OSI and DD/I, I informed Mr. Borden on 29 February that there would still be a minimum of two weeks' delay. STATINTL

3. Mr. Bagnall, Chief of FDD, informed me that he had received a call from a Mr. Tilton, of IAD in the State Department. Mr. Tilton requested that CIA prepare a round-up of foreign press reaction to Senator McCarthy as the Department had received a request for such material from the Benton Subcommittee investigating McCarthy. [REDACTED] DAD/OO and I discussed the matter with DD/I, and after consultation with D/DCI, Mr. Becker called Park Armstrong, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Research and Intelligence, and informed Mr. Armstrong that State should seek to satisfy this request from its own resources and not involve CIA in the dispute. STAT

4. In connection with my Memorandum for the Record dated 26 February 1952, Subject: Planning for a Federal dispersal program, and my memorandum of 27 February of the same subject to DD/I, Mr. Becker informed me that at the next meeting of the Planning Committee I am authorized to state that if the Planning Committee reaches certain planning assumptions, CIA will be glad to state whether such assumptions are reasonable or not, but will not answer specific intelligence questions. STATINTL

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